

Fig. 1 - The client-server model PRIOR ART

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Fig. 2 PRIOR ART

Three-Tier Application Architecture 300

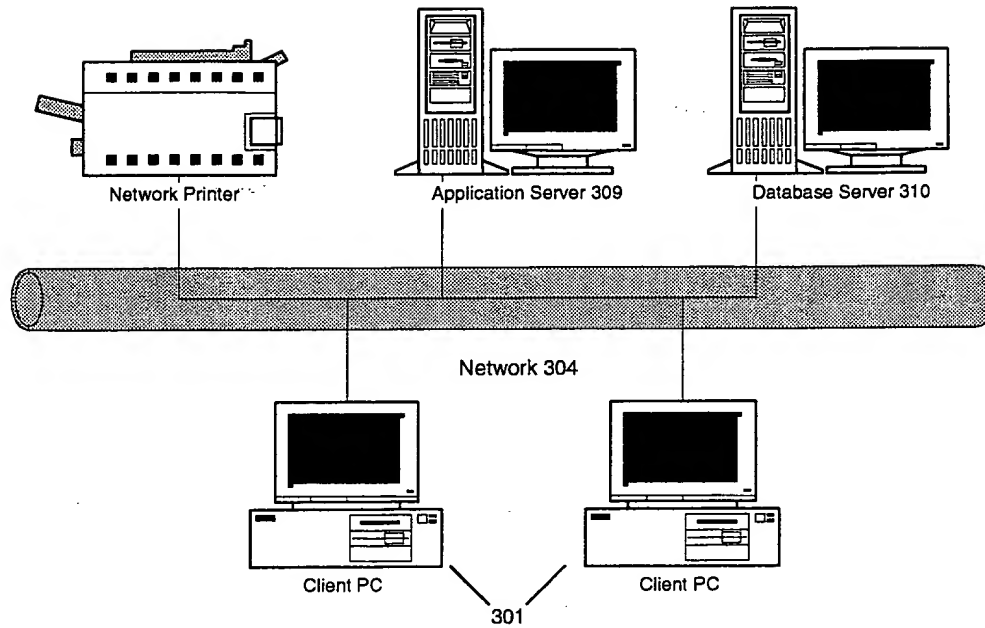


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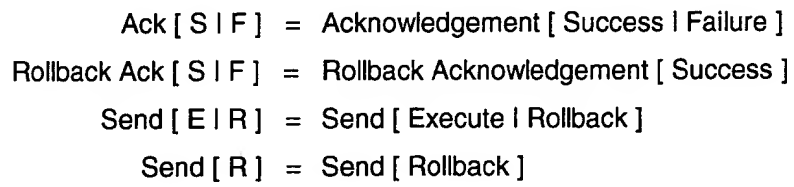
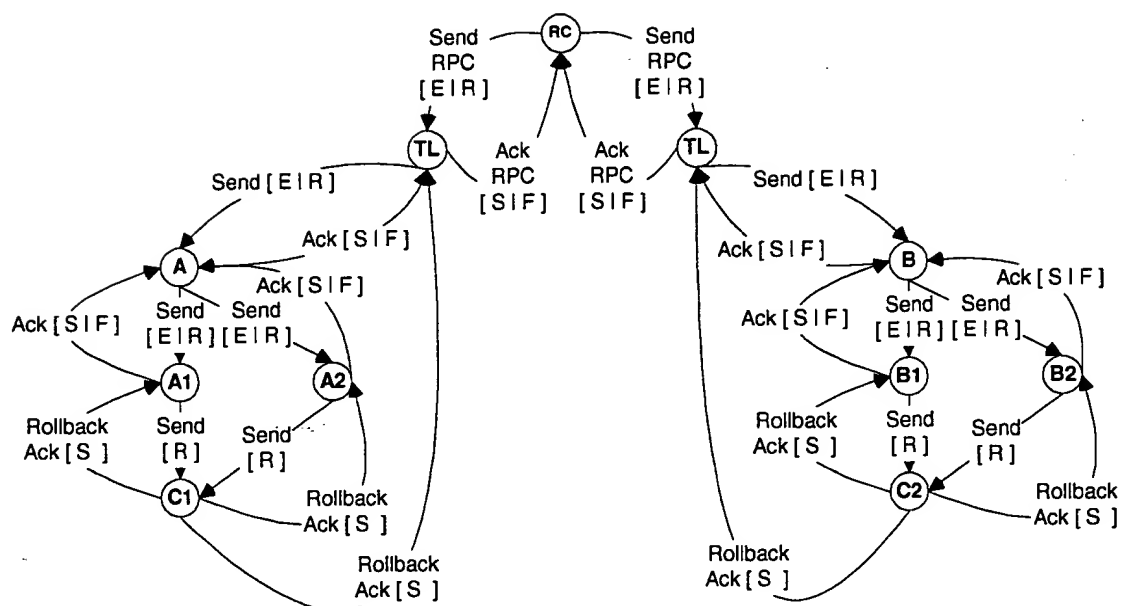


Fig. 4



Ack [S | F] = Acknowledgement [Success | Failure]

Rollback Ack [S | F] = Rollback Acknowledgement [Success]

Ack RPC [S | F] = Acknowledgement RPC [Success | Failure]

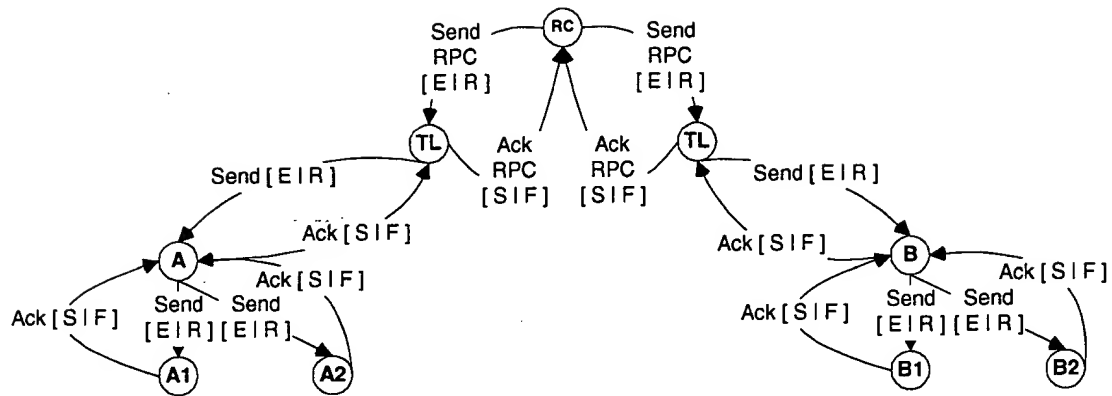
Send [E | R] = Send [Execute | Rollback]

Send [R] = Send [Rollback]

Send RPC [E | R] = Send RPC [Execute | Rollback]

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Ack [S | F] = Acknowledgement [Success | Failure]

Ack RPC [S | F] = Acknowledgement RPC [Success | Failure]

Send [E | R] = Send [Execute | Rollback]

Send RPC [E | R] = Send RPC [Execute | Rollback]

Fig. 6

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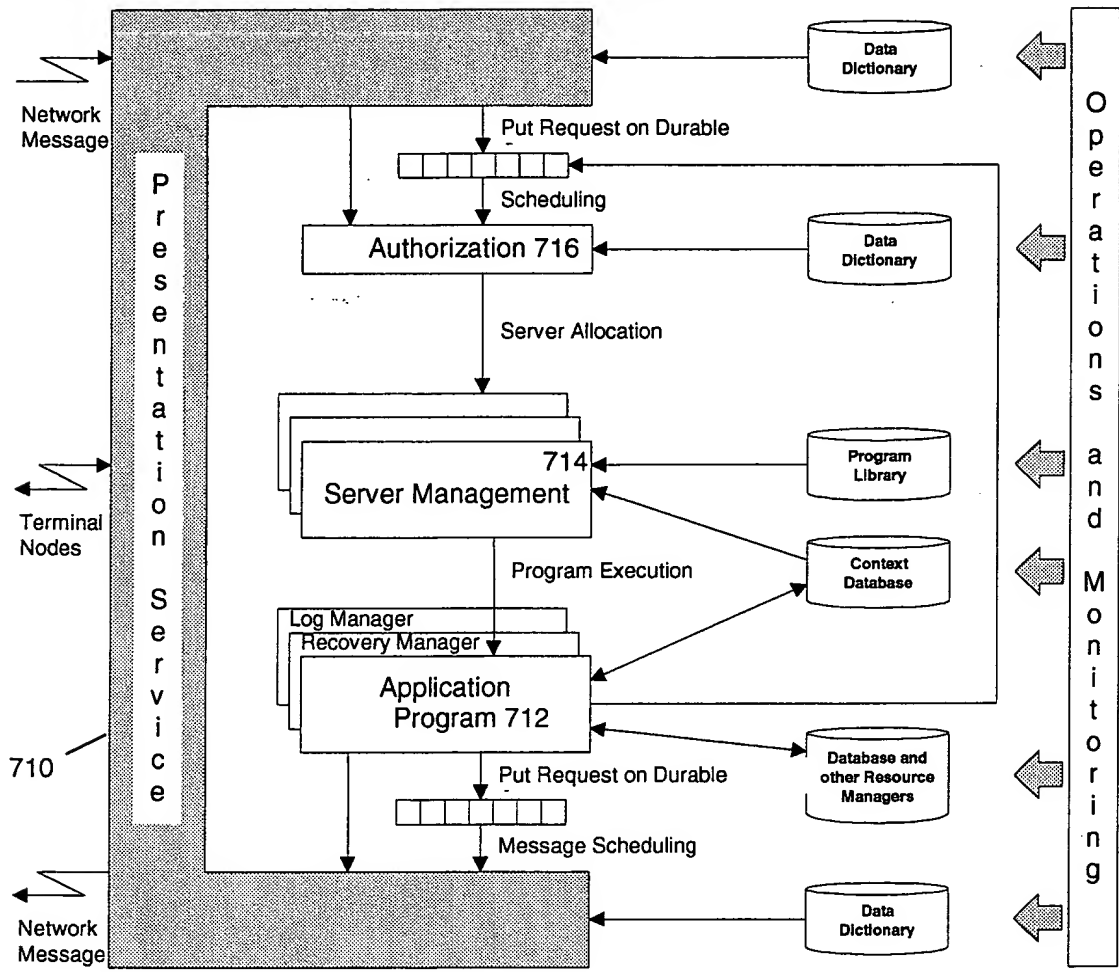


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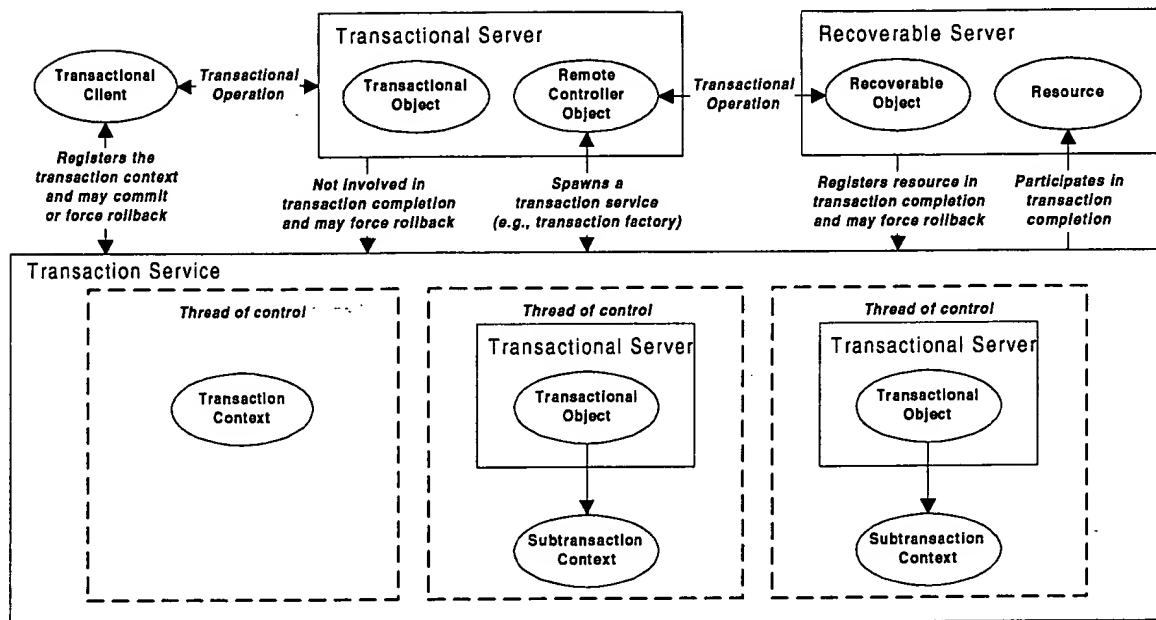


Fig. 9



Fig. 10 PRIOR ART

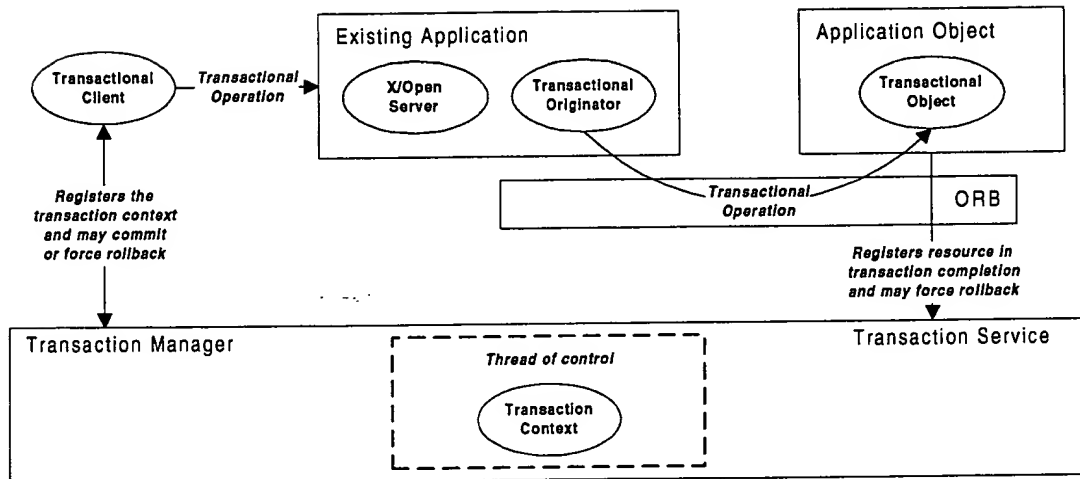


Fig. 11 PRIOR ART

Fig. 12 PRIOR ART

Decision Making System Boundary 1310

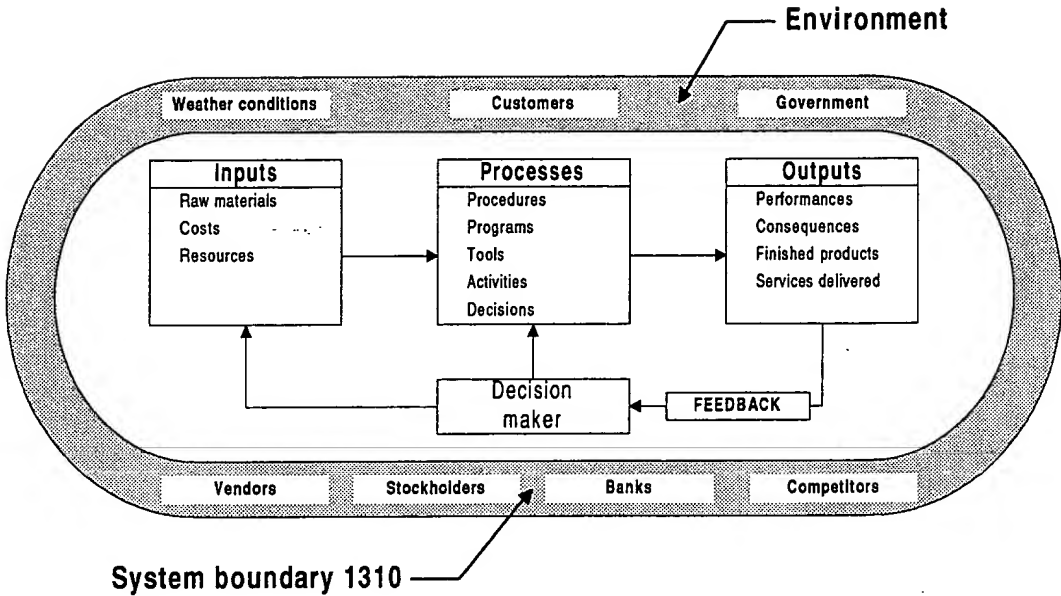


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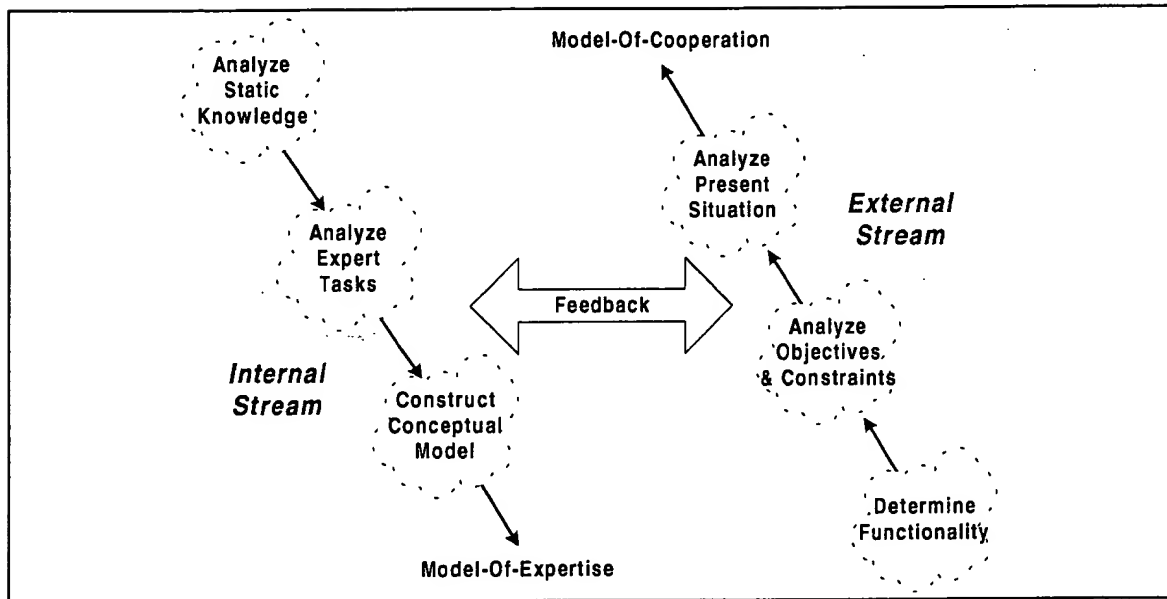


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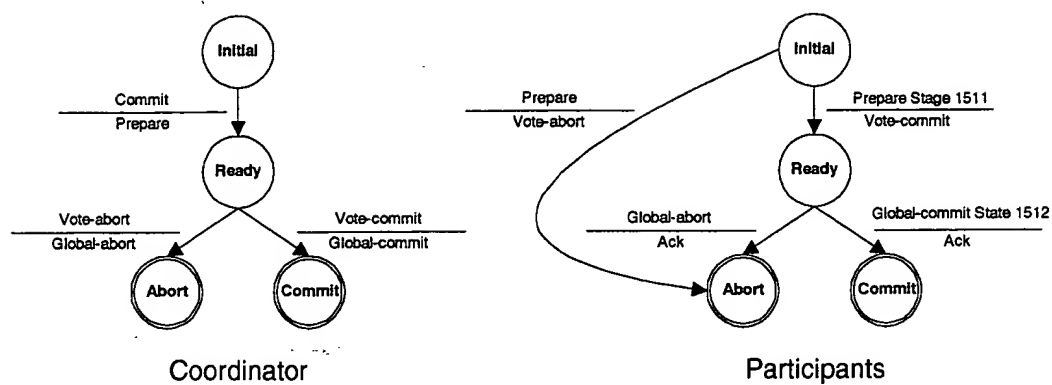


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Participant State Transitions 1610

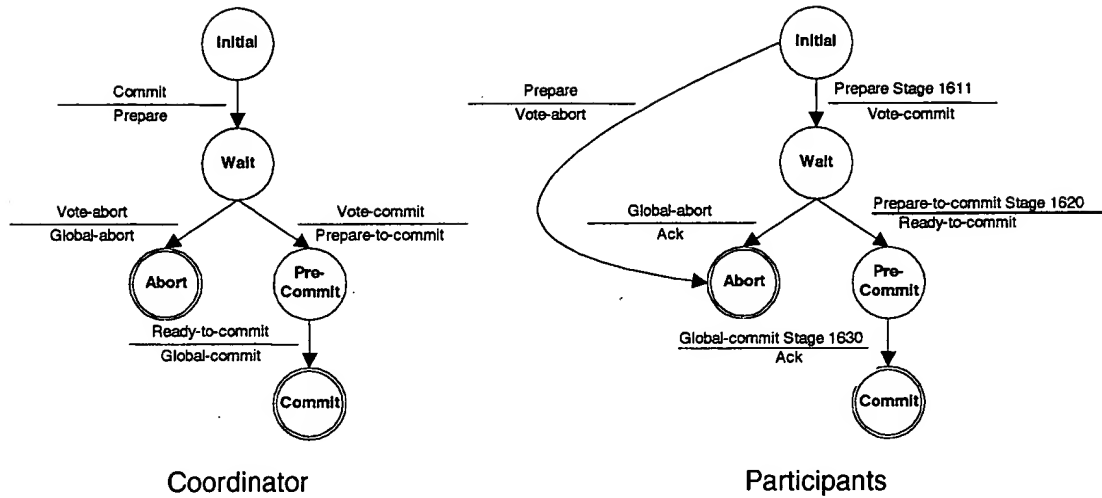


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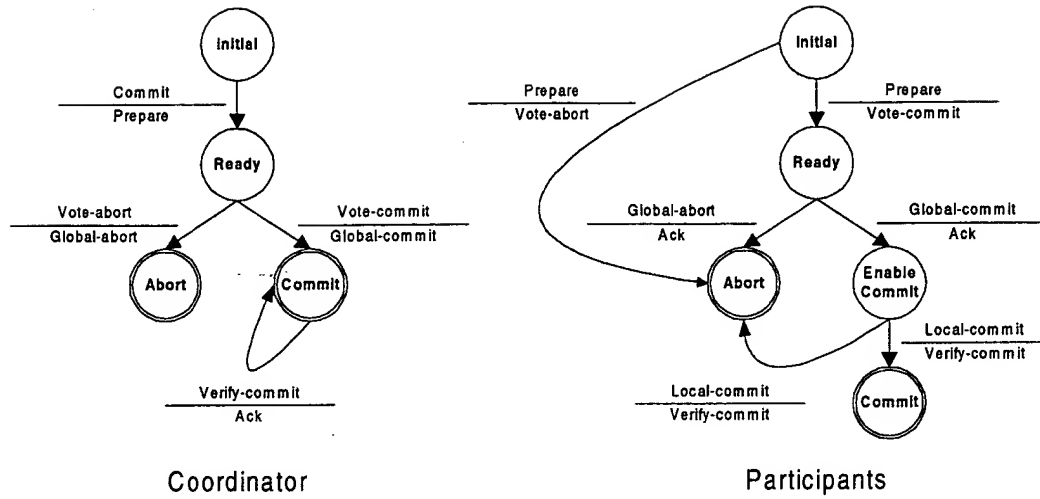
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Application
Presentation
Session
Transport
Network
Data Link
Physical

Applications	
TCP	UDP
IP	
Physical Protocols, such as Ethernet or Token-Ring	

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Orthogonal State Transitions 1850

Fig. 18B

METHOD		

MEMBER PROCEDURE INITIAL_TRANSACTION		
Argument Name	Type	In/Out

TRANSACTION_ID	NUMBER	IN
TRANSACTION_PARENT_ID	NUMBER	IN
TRANSACTION_SOURCE	VARCHAR2	IN
TRANSACTION_DESTINATION	DESTINATION	IN
TRANSACTION_TIME_STAMP	DATE	IN
TRANSACTION_QUANTUM	NUMBER	IN
TRANSACTION_TYPE	VARCHAR2	IN
TRANSACTION_STATUS	VARCHAR2	IN/OUT
TRANSACTION_NAME	VARCHAR2	IN
DML_ACTION	VARCHAR2	IN
DML_ATTRIBUTES	ATTRIBUTE	IN
OBJ_NAME	VARCHAR2	IN
OBJ_ATTRIBUTES	ATTRIBUTE	IN
WHERE_CLAUSE	ATTRIBUTE	IN

Fig. 19

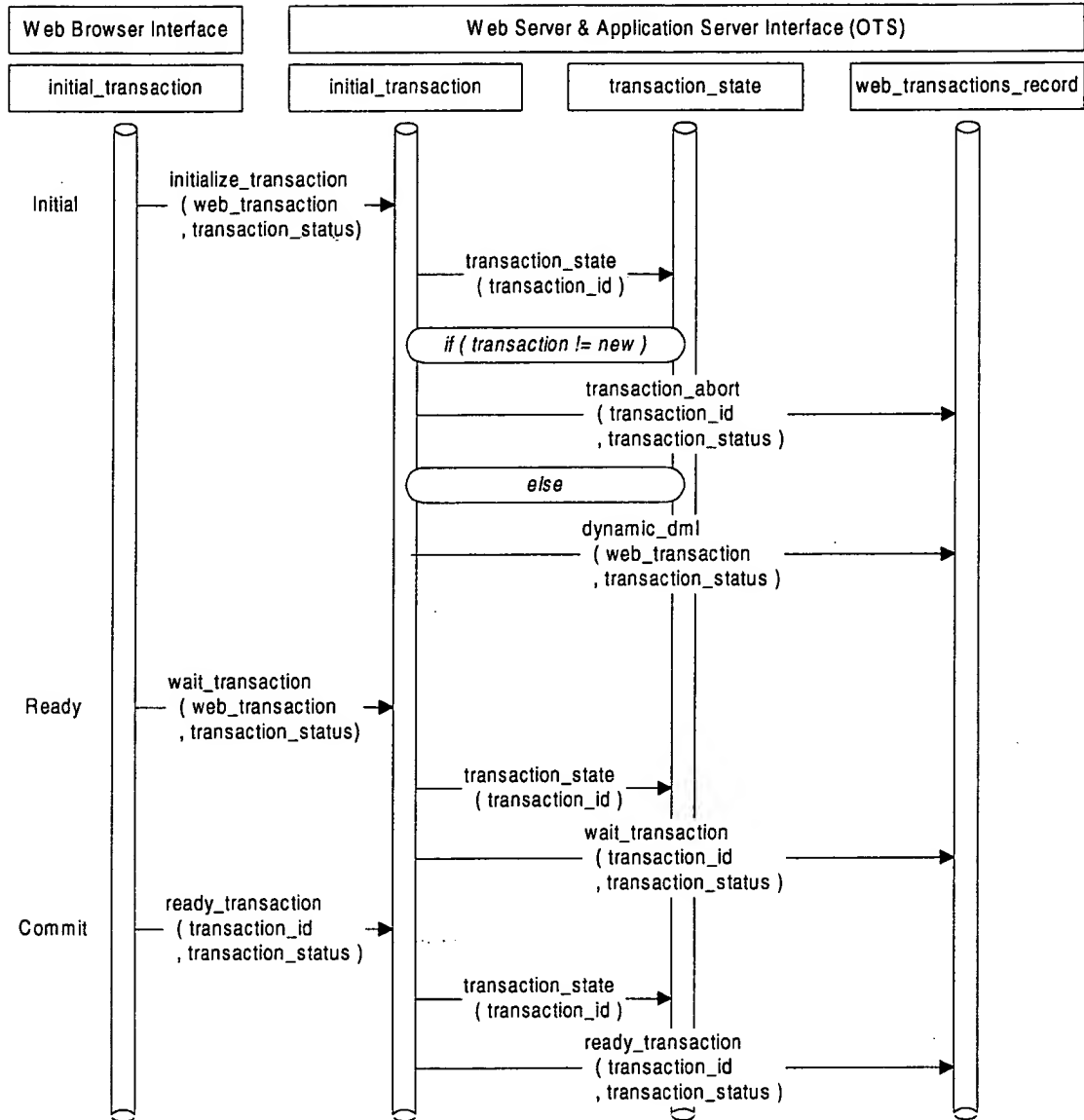


Fig. 20

Initial_Transaction Procedure Definition 2110

METHOD		

MEMBER PROCEDURE INITIAL_TRANSACTION		
Argument Name	Type	In/Out

TRANSACTION_ID	NUMBER	IN
TRANSACTION_STATUS	VARCHAR2	IN/OUT
TRANSACTION_SOURCE	VARCHAR2	IN
TRANSACTION_DETAIL	TRANSACTION	IN

Fig. 21

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Fig. 23

Expository ACID Compliant Transaction Architecture 2400

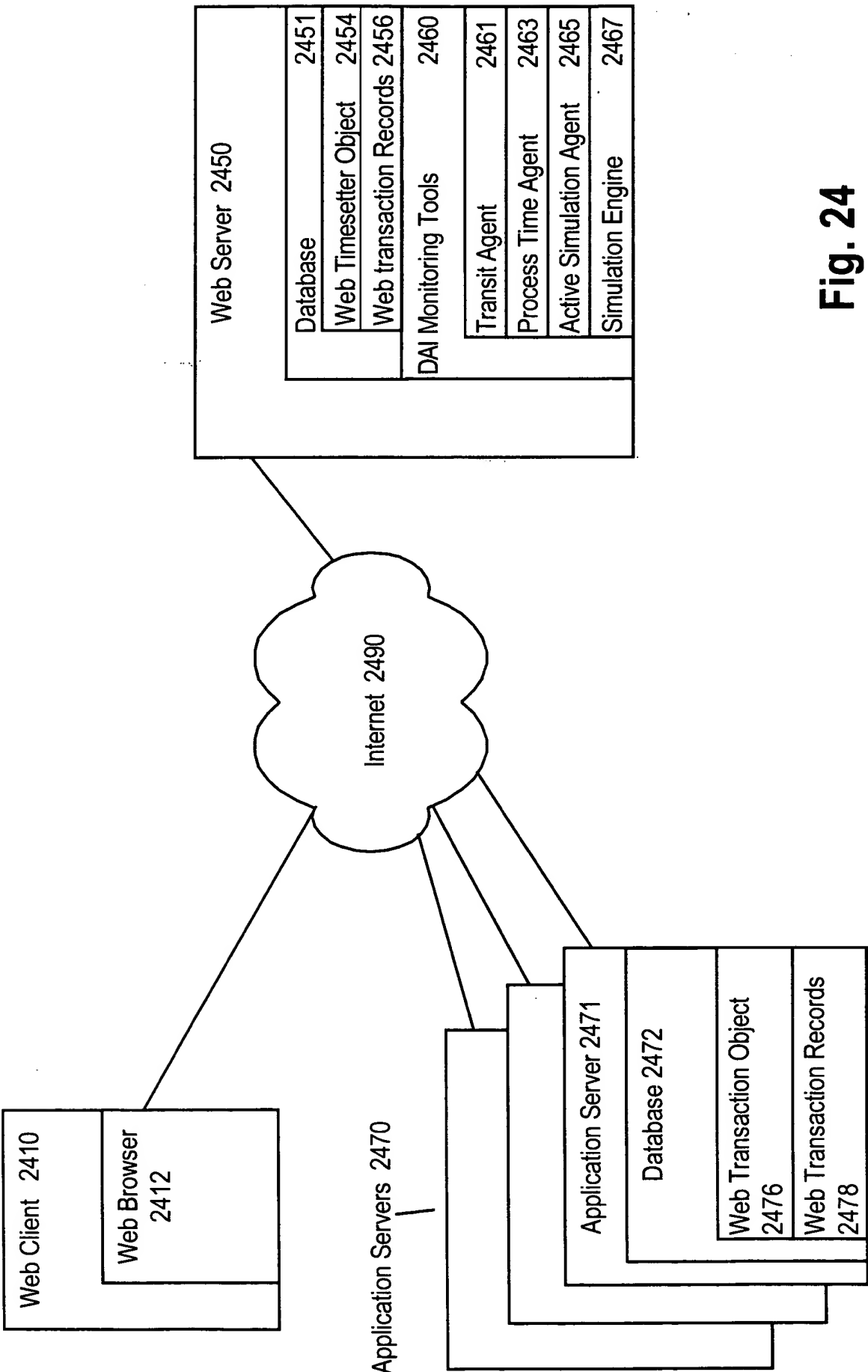


Fig. 24

Figure 1 consists of two state transition diagrams for the 2PC protocol, separated by a diagonal line. The left diagram is for the Coordinator, and the right diagram is for the Participants.

Coordinator State Transitions:

- Initial** (start state) transitions to **Wait** on **Commit** and **Prepare**.
- Wait** transitions to **Abort** on **Vote-abort** and **Global-abort**, and to **Pre-Commit** on **Vote-commit** and **Prepare-to-commit**.
- Abort** is a final state (double circle).
- Pre-Commit** transitions to **Commit** on **Ready-to-commit** and **Global-commit**.
- Commit** is a final state (double circle) with a self-loop on **Verify-commit** and **Ack**.

Participants State Transitions:

- Initial** (start state) transitions to **Wait** on **Prepare** and **Vote-commit**.
- Wait** transitions to **Abort** on **Global-abort** and **Ack**, and to **Pre-Commit** on **Prepare-to-commit** and **Ready-to-commit**.
- Abort** is a final state (double circle) with a self-loop on **Global-abort** and **Ack**.
- Pre-Commit** transitions to **Enable Commit** on **Global-commit** and **Ack**.
- Enable Commit** transitions to **Commit** on **Local-commit** and **Verify-commit**.
- Commit** is a final state (double circle) with a self-loop on **Local-commit** and **Verify-commit**.

Fig. 25A



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Fig. 26

Asynchronous Transaction Object Management System Architecture Diagram 2600

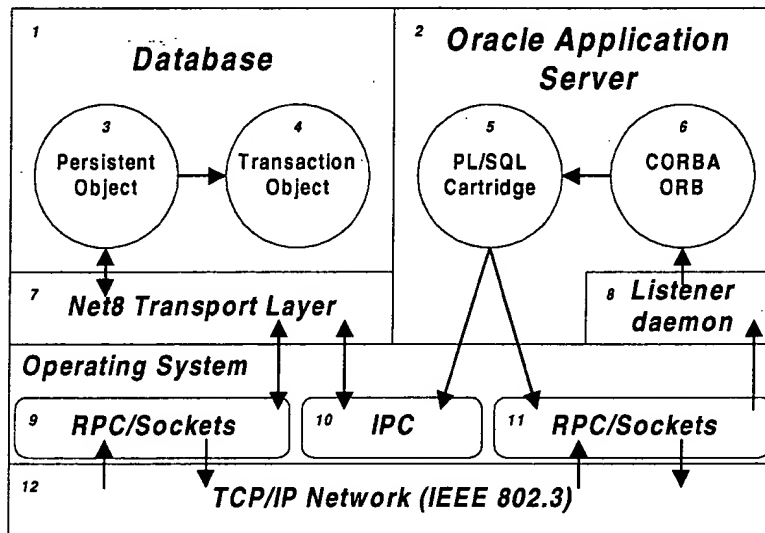


Fig. 27

Asynchronous Transaction Object Management System operating system architecture diagram 2700

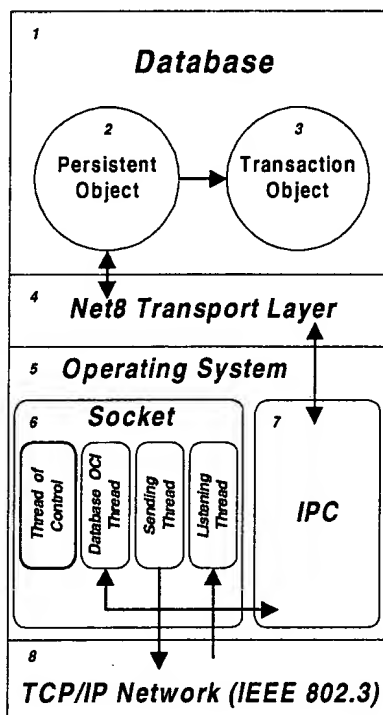


FIG. 28

